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MRTA Terrorists Seize Diverse Group of Hostages

The bold attack on a diplomatic function netted the MRTA terrorists a diverse cross section of hostages--including foreign diplomats, high-level Peruvian officials and military officers, business leaders, and members of social groups. The following preliminary list is drawn from press and [redacted]

US Officials:

- Donald Boyd, Acting Director, USAID
- Michael Maxey, AID
- David Bayer, AID
- James Wagner, Political Counselor
- Chris Merschod, AID TDY'er
- John Crowe, Narcotics Officer (NAS)
- John Riddle, Economic Officer
- Shiela Peters, Political Officer

Peruvian Officials:

- Foreign Minister Francisco Tudela
- Agricultural Minister Rodolfo Munante Sanguinetti
- Supreme Court President Moises Pantoja
- Ruling Party Congressman Carlos Torres Lara y Lara
- Director of the Counterterrorism Police, General Maximo Rivera Diaz
- Two unidentified military officers

Business Executives/Social Groups:

- Toyota Motor Corporation
- NEC Corporation
- Asahi Chemical Industry Company
- Matsushita Electric Industrial Company
- Mitsui Mining and Smelting Company
- Japanese Catholic association
- Peru-Okinawa Association

Foreign Ambassadors/Charges:

- Japan (Morihsa Akoi)
- Austria (Arthur Schuschnigg)
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Cuba
- Czech Republic (Lubomir Hladik)
- Germany
- Poland
- South Korea (Lee Won Young)
- Spain (Charge)
- Uruguay
- Venezuela

Key Individuals Released

- Matsue Fujimori, mother of President Fujimori
- Juana Fujimori, sister of President Fujimori
- Mrs. Akoi, wife of Japanese Ambassador
- BBC correspondent Sally Bowen (president of Peru's foreign press association)

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